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In re the Application of

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Group Art Unit: 2609

Application No.: 10/697,105

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For: ACOUSTIC MODEL CREATING METHOD, SPEECH RECOGNITION APPARATUS,
AND VEHICLE HAVING THE SPEECH RECOGNITION APPARATUS

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